

A Correction.

Editor HEADLIGHT: I notice in today's issue of the HEADLIGHT that I had resigned the pastorate of the Baptist church at Eagle Lake to take effect in April, after a pastorate of three years. I do not know who your informant was, but he was either ignorant of the facts, obtaining them second handed, or he knowingly misrepresented the facts. I have not tendered my resignation, neither has the church appointed a committee to secure another pastor. The facts are, that I was called to the pastorate of this church five years ago. The church calls annually, but nevertheless true, that every year since I have been elected pastor of this church, as the time has been drawn near for the church to make a call, some one has circulated the report that the church would call some one else; yet I am happy to state that for the time I have been unanimously elected. The church by appointment met last Wednesday night to discuss the advisability of calling a pastor for his entire time, and not to receive and act upon my resignation. If the church does not call a pastor on or before April 14th, it will be pastorless, as I was called only for a year. I love my brethren and the people of Eagle Lake. I don't know of a place where I would rather live than here. I love its delightful climate and its splendid citizenship; but if the Baptist church of Eagle Lake after prayer for Divine guidance shall vote for some one else for their pastor, I shall bow in humble submission. I want to labor where my Master wants me. I appreciate highly the compliments and well-wishes of ye editor.

Truly yours,

OSCAR FERRELL.
Eagle Lake, Texas, Jan. 12, 1912.

In connection with the item referred to above that appeared in the last issue of this paper, the editor will state that the item was told to him on the street. Having so many items to handle every week, of course this one, like the rest, was not investigated before being put into print. The HEADLIGHT printed it only as a news item. Our informant, we feel sure, was misinformed, and the item was only one of those errors that we sometimes creep into the paper, but we assure all concerned that it was printed by this paper merely as a news item, and without intent on the part of the paper to do harm or injure the feelings of any one.—EDITOR.

Good Prices for Cotton.

Hon. J. R. Wooten this week exhibited account of sales by a man in Mississippi, of 475 bales of long staple cotton, which was as follows:

63 bales, sold at 20¢; 130 bales, sold at 20¢; 35 bales, sold at 19¢; 71 bales, sold at 18¢; 92 bales, sold at 17¢; 64 bales, sold at 15¢.

Mr. Wooten will sell the seed from these identical 475 bales, at \$2.00 per bushel, f. o. b. cars in Columbus. In car load lots, a special price will be made. There is no reason why the rich soil of the Texas coast country, should not produce the long staple equal to the lands of Mississippi. Why not plant the long staple and double the income from the cotton crop? It can be done.—Colorado Citizen.

Mr. L. P. Bunge was over from Altair on business yesterday.

Mr. Robert Taylor of El Campo spent a couple of days in the city this week with home folks.

FIRM WILL BE DISSOLVED

Daily Bros. Will Begin a Great Dissolution Sale Tomorrow.

The attention of our readers is called to the two-page advertisement of Daily Bros. in this issue who announce a Great Dissolution Sale commencing at their store tomorrow, Saturday. This firm's store is closed today while they are arranging the stock and marking down everything for the sale. Daily Bros. are going to dissolve partnership, and finding themselves overstocked, have decided to put on this tremendous sale and reduce the stock as much as possible before making the dissolution. Mr. Daily has asked us to state that no goods will be charged, at sale prices. The sale prices are strictly cash and where charges are made during the sale the goods will be charged at the regular price. This firm has dotted the surrounding country with large circulars and a big trade is looked for. All of the dodgers and other printing connected with this sale was printed by the HEADLIGHT. Mr. Daily believing in patronizing his home printing office. We ask that all of our readers read carefully this big advertisement and pay the store a call. It will be to your advantage to call early before the stock is picked over. This firm is offering some never before heard of bargains and you can't afford to miss this sale.

MITCHELL FOR SURVEYOR

Popular Eagle Lake Man Announces For County Surveyor.

In our announcement column today will be found the name of Mr. A. F. Mitchell of this city who announces for the office of county surveyor. Mr. Mitchell is now serving out the unexpired term of County Surveyor Tolliver, having been appointed to fill the vacancy after the death of Mr. Tolliver. Mr. Mitchell has made a fine surveyor. He is a most pleasant and accommodating young gentleman, a graduate of the A. & M. engineering department and thoroughly competent to fill all branches and departments of the county surveyor's office. Mr. Mitchell solicits and will greatly appreciate your vote and support at the white men's primaries.

We want your job printing.

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ZEMO and ZEMO SOAP produce sure and swift results. You will not suffer another day after you commence to use them. You will feel like a new person. ZEMO and ZEMO SOAP can be obtained from the leading druggists in every city or town in America and in Eagle Lake by Calvert's Drug Store.

STATEMENT OF THE FINANCIAL CONDITION OF THE FARMERS & MERCHANTS STATE BANK

JANUARY 1st, 1912.

ASSETS...	LIABILITIES...
Loans and discounts \$91,587.00	Capital stock \$40,000.00
Furniture and fixtures 2,646.26	Surplus 1,600.00
Interest in Guaranty fund 900.67	Undivided profits 4,111.90
Assessment for Guar. fund 275.50	
Cash and Exchange 55,873.71	Deposits 105,571.24
\$151,283.14	\$151,283.14

The Commissioner of Insurance and Banking has this to say in reference to examination December 18th, 1911:

"I am pleased to note that the general condition of the bank is good, with all matters well in hand."

THE FARMERS & MERCHANTS STATE BANK

J. E. ROBERTS, Cashier.

T. L. LOUGHRIDGE, Asst. Cashier.

A Hero in a Lighthouse

For years J. S. Donahue, So. Haven, Mich., a civil war captain, as a lighthouse keeper, averted awful wrecks, but a queer fact is, he might have been a wreck himself, if Electric Bitters had not prevented. "They cured me of kidney trouble and chills," he writes, "after I had taken other so-called cures for years, without benefit and they also improved my sight. Now, at seventy, I am feeling fine." For dyspepsia, indigestion, all stomach, liver and kidney troubles, they're without equal. Try them. Only 50c at Calvert's Drug Store.

Just received, a big line of Libby's pickles, jams, preserves, olives, etc.

WESTMORELAND BROS.

When you want a reliable medicine for a cough or cold take Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. It can always be depended upon and is pleasant and safe to take. For sale by all druggists.

The One Who Wasn't Whipped

It was in a large school, and one of the boys had committed some grave infraction of discipline. The teacher announced that he would thrash the whole class if some one did not tell him who had committed the offense. All were silent, and he began with the first boy and thrashed every one in the class until finally he reached the last one. Then he said, "Now, if you will tell me who did this I won't thrash you." "All right, sir; I did it," was the reply.

In Boston

"Say, I'm a stranger in this town. Can you tell me a good place to stop at?" "Yes sir. Stop just before the 'at.'"—Cleveland Leader.

Stomach Trouble Cured.

If you have any trouble with your stomach you should take Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. Mr. J. P. Klote of Edina, Mo., says: "I have used a great many different medicines for stomach trouble but find Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets more beneficial than any other remedy I ever used." For sale by all druggists.

We sell home rendered Lard in any size packages.

Hon. Geo. Herder of Weimar was a business visitor in the city Wednesday.

Mrs. T. P. Doole arrived yesterday morning from Brownwood to join her husband, Dr. T. P. Doole. Dr. and Mrs. Doole are for the present making their home at the Hotel Brown, but will keep house a little later.

A Few Notes by Which You May Profit

We insist on quality, purity and freshness of everything handled by us. We cater to those who insist on a high standard of living. Our customers live better for less money than those who buy elsewhere.

E. L. MOONEY

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SEED RICE!

We have a limited quantity of carefully selected HONDURAS and JAPAN SEED for sale. It is a well known fact that good seed rice is very scarce and getting more so all the time. Those who anticipate needing seed will do well to secure their wants now. We are booking orders for spring delivery, the rice to be paid for when delivered. Write or 'phone us your

EAGLE LAKE RICE MILLING CO.

EAGLE LAKE, TEXAS.

DRUMMERS' HOME TO CHANGE HANDS

Mr. Owen Sells Hotel Lease and Furniture to Gentlemen From Rock Island, Illinois.

After four years of successful management, Mr. J. H. Owen has sold his lease and hotel furniture to Mr. Henry Frecke of Rock Island, Illinois. Mr. Frecke, who is expected to arrive today or tomorrow, will succeed Mr. Owen in the management of the Drummers' Home. Under Mr. Owen's management, the Drummers' Home has become one of the leading and best known hotels of any town of like size in this section of the state. Mr. Frecke, the new manager of the hotel, has a family of a wife and four grown daughters. His family, however, will not accompany him to Eagle Lake just at this time, but he will be assisted in the management by a practical hotel lady from Rock Island until the arrival of his family which will be sometime in the spring. Mr. and Mrs. Owen will move to San Antonio where they will make their home for the present. They are not yet fully decided as to their future plans, but Mr. Owen, having considerable farming interests in this section, it is quite likely that they will visit Eagle Lake frequently. They leave many friends in Eagle Lake who regret to see them leave, but who wish them happiness and prosperity wherever they decide to locate.

HEADLIGHT ADS WINNERS

Advertisers Say They Get Good Results From Headlight Ads

"Take that little ad out of the paper about potato machinery for sale," phoned Mr. W. E. Welford this week, "for I have sold all of it." Mr. Welford says, "I can recommend the HEADLIGHT as a good advertising medium as I have sold practically everything I have ever advertised in the columns of your paper." Mr. Walt Pool of Lissie has an engine advertisement in the business locals this week. He says: "I want you to sell this engine for me for I have certainly gotten the results from every thing else that I have ever advertised for sale in the HEADLIGHT."

Press agent's notice: The "Hans Hanson" company is a guaranteed attraction, and the theatre manager is instructed to refund the money if there is one single thing advertised that is not performed to the letter. The claim that it is the best domestic comedy ever written has never been disputed. The production of the play in this city will be the equal of any ever given, not a line or a scene cut out and not a bad actor in the cast. Frazar opera house, Tuesday, Jan. 23. Seats on sale at Harris' cream parlor.

Mr. A. E. Brown was up from Eldridge on business Tuesday and had his name placed on the HEADLIGHT's subscription list while here, for which he has our thanks.

San Antonio & Aransas Pass

TIME TABLE

No. 1, West bound, 11:15 a. m.
No. 3, West bound, 11:30 p. m.
No. 2, East bound, 3:55 p. m.
No. 4, East bound, 4:40 a. m.

For further information, telephone or call on FRANK DOUGLASS, Local Agent.

Nottawa News Notes

Nearly every one around here has been taking a vacation watching the wreckers work.

Mr. C. W. Dickson has a new Ford. It is a beauty.

Comp, Boyden Smith, and Egnos are doing some much needed work on the road west of Nottawa.

After a great deal of instruction and practice, Miss Grace Dickerson has mastered the difficult art of "honking" their automobile.

Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Boyden called on Mr. and Mrs. Jack Reed Sunday.

Sunday School has been rather short on pupils on account of the bad weather.

Rev. King was a visitor at Rosenberg Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Caylor were shopping in Eagle Lake Wednesday.

Mrs. Armit Thomas has been visiting Mrs. Spalanger this week. Mr. and Mrs. Roy Gorman were the Tuesday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. DeWitt.

Mrs. Louise Horne spent Tuesday night with Mrs. King.

Foreman of the wrecking crew was badly injured Wednesday by a rope breaking and a block striking him on the head. Two negroes were also injured.

Flowing is the order of the day at this place.

Mrs. Parsons has been visiting Mr. C. E. Egnos this week.

Here is a remedy that will cure your cold. Why waste time and money experimenting when you can get a preparation that has won a world-wide reputation by its cures of this disease and can always be depended upon? It is known everywhere as Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and is a medicine of real merit. For sale by all druggists.

A Conscientious Declaration
Drummer—Will you be mine? All my life I will worship you from February until April and from August until December. The rest of the time I am on the road.—Flying-Blatter.

MOVED TO CHESTERVILLE

Missouri Families Move to This County: Locate at Chesterville.

On last Saturday night, January 6th, our beloved neighbor, friend and fellow citizen, Louis Larsen, with his family, together with his son-in-law, Miley Miller and Oscar Clark and their good families left our midst, after practically a half century among us, for their new home at Chesterville, Texas.

Needless for me to say that Louis Larsen and his good people will be sadly missed in this neighborhood, generous in all his dealings—always on hand in sickness or trouble—ever ready to lend a helping hand to all, it is no wonder that we feel keenly the loss of this good man.

While we regret to see them go, we all wish him and his God speed, may his efforts in his adopted home in the South prove as fruitful as they have here, for many a weak heart has been made to beat strong and many a sad heart to feel glad on account of his ability to adapt himself to any and all environments.

May the good people in Texas fully appreciate such estimable additions to their growing country, as we fully realize that we have suffered a loss and they a gain.—Editor (two.) Statesman.

Mrs. A. R. Tabor, of Crider, Mo., had been troubled with sick headache for about five years, when she began taking Chamberlain's Tablets. She has taken two bottles of them and they have cured her. Sick headache is caused by a disordered stomach for which these tablets are especially intended. Try them, get well and stay well. Sold by all druggists.

Mr. J. C. Townly, so we learn, after trying for some weeks to find a vacant rent house in Eagle Lake in order that he might move here from Chesterville and make this city his home, has given up the idea of ever finding a vacant house in Eagle Lake and will buy a lot in the Highland Park addition and will build a house on same. We will be glad indeed to have Mr. Townly and his family become citizens of this place. Rent houses are indeed scarce here, every available house being occupied. This is not an occurrence that just happens occasionally—things in Eagle Lake are ever thus.

A letter received from Commissioner of Agriculture Ed. R. Cone, says the farmers' institute lecture to have been given in Eagle Lake on January 17th was postponed indefinitely upon advice of State Health Officer Steiner, due to the prevalence of meningitis at a number of places in the state. Mr. Cone says the institute will be held here as soon as the prevalence of the disease has abated.

SEALED BIDS for the purchase of the Lissie town hall and one lot in the said village of Lissie, Wharton county, Texas, will be received at the office of W. S. Strickland in Eagle Lake, Texas, up to February 1st, 1912, at 2 o'clock p. m. The right to reject any or all bids hereby reserved.

Mrs. L. H. HOWARD, Sec. and Treas. L. I. C.

District Attorney Wm. Atkinson has announced for county judge of Gonzales county. The present incumbent is a strong man and as Mr. Atkinson is also very popular, a lively contest is in prospect. Mr. Atkinson will not again be a candidate for district attorney. So far there is no one definitely in the race for the latter office except Lester Holt of Columbus.—Hallettsville New Era.

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